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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Examiner: To Be Assigned

Art Unit: 1619

Re: Application of:

Benjamin OSHLACK, et al.

Serial No.:

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Filed:

November 12, 2001

For:

**STABILIZED CONTROLLED RELEASE  
SUBSTRATE HAVING A COATING DERIVED  
FROM AN AQUEOUS DISPERSION OF  
HYDROPHOBIC POLYMER**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

July 10, 2002

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

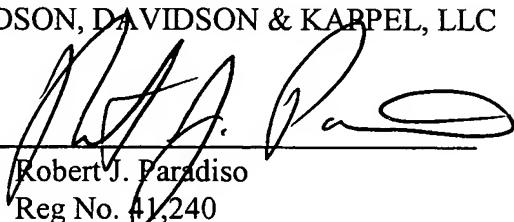
Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for responding to the Notice of Missing Requirements mailed on April 10, 2002 for one (1) month from June 10, 2002 to July 10, 2002.

Enclosed is a check for \$110.00 to cover the extension fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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